



Docket No.: 50212-514

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
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Motoki KAKUI, et al. :
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Serial No.: 10/615,389 : Group Art Unit:
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Filed: July 09, 2003 : Examiner:
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For: OPTICAL AMPLIFICATION MODULE OPTICAL AMPLIFICATION APPARATUS
AND OPTICAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 10 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.